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3.	\boxtimes	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.					
4.	\boxtimes	The US has been elected (Article 31).					
5.	\boxtimes	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))					
		a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).					
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6.	\boxtimes	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))					
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		b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
		c. The International Application was filed in English.					
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))					
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8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).					
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10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).					
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11.		An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
12.	\boxtimes	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
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15.		A substitute specification.					
16.	\boxtimes	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.					

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A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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